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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (LISBON ADDED AS INFORMATION ADDRESSEE)

E.O. 11652: GDS

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1. PONTA DELGADA PAN AMERICAN AIRLINES REPRESENTATIVE MUCH
DISMAYED BY YESTERDAYS REQUEST BY PANAM TO CAB FOR TEMPORARY
SUSPENSION SERVICE BETWEEN UNITED STATES AND SANTA MARIA,
AZORES, FOR PERIOD 7 JANUARY 1974 TO 6 JANUARY 1975. PANAM
CITED FUEL SHORTFALL AS REASON FOR REQUESTING SUSPENSION
SEVERAL OVERSEAS POINTS, AND AVAILABILITY OTHER CARRIER AND
SMALL TRAFFIC VOLUME FOR SELECTING SANTA MARIA TO BE ONE OF
THESE.

2. LOCAL REP INITIALLY HOPED THAT CONSULATE AND EMBASSY
COULD INFLUENCE CAB TO REFUSE REQUEST BUT NOW SEES THAT IMPOSSIBLE.
HIS ARGUMENTS IN FAVOR KEEPING SERVICE INCLUDE PRESENCE AMERICAN
BASE AT LAJES, GENERALLY HIGH LOAD FACTOR, PLANNED RETENTION
DAILY FLIGHTS UNITED STATES TO LISBON WHICH COULD STOP AT
SANTA MARIA, AND AMERICAN PRESTIGE.

3. COMMENT: PANAM DECISION TO ELIMINATE AZORES STOP MIGHT
WELL NOT HAVE BEEN TAKEN IF COMPANY HAD BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN
OBTAINING LANDING RIGHTS AT LAJES.

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